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PATENT

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In re application of: McLeod et al.

Application No.: 10/081,506

Group No.: 3726

Filed: February 22, 2002

Examiner: Essama Omgba

For: AUTOMOTIVE ROOF MODULE AND METHOD OF ASSEMBLY OF THE MODULE TO AN AUTOMOTIVE VEHICLE

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
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(37 C.F.R. § 1.191)

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decisions of the Primary Examiner, mailed July 28, 2005, and/or finally rejecting claims 1, 3-18, 20 and 21.

1. STATUS OF APPLICANT

This application is on behalf of other than a small entity.

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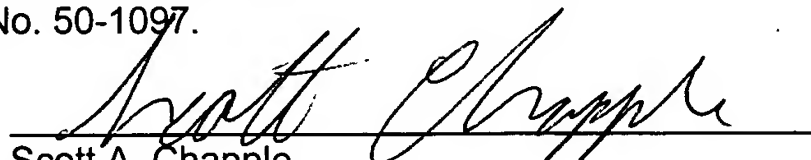
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